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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Conf. No.:	9714	:	Group Art Unit: 2185
Appln. No.:	10/728,497	:	Examiner: John A. Lane
Filing Date:	December 5, 2003	:	Attorney Docket No.: 8861-477US (544659)

Title: A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE FOR OUTPUTTING DATA READ FROM A READ ONLY STORAGE DEVICE (AS AMENDED)

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
(37 CFR § 1.114)**

1. Applicants hereby request continued examination, in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.114, for the above-identified pending application.

2. This request is being submitted prior to payment of the Issue Fee. The application was allowed on September 20, 2006, a Corrected Notice of Allowance was mailed on October 17, 2006, and the Issue Fee is due on January 17, 2006.

3. Enclosed herewith is:

☒ A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A and cited references.

4. The following fees are enclosed:

☒ RCE fee of **\$790.00** required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e).

☐ A firm check for \$_____ is enclosed.

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- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and/or credit Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Akin Gump Billing No. 208861.0477) as noted below.
- [X] RCE fee of \$790.00 required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e).
- [X] Any overpayments or deficiencies in the above-calculated fee(s).
- [X] Any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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